

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

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WITH 4-HYDROXY  
TAMOXIFEN  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the non-final Office Action dated December 16, 2008, in the above-referenced patent application, and is submitted with a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

The pending claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this document.